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Fractures Skull in Leaping From Auto

Mrs. W. E. Cockett, of Waikapu, Dies
as Result of Deplorable Accident
—Had Not Been Well.

Through a fall from an automobile near her home at Waikapu early Thursday morning, Mrs. William E. Cockett, wife of the well known clerk in the Wailuku tax office, sustained a fracture of the skull which resulted in her death a few hours afterwards.

The accident was a peculiarly sad and tragic one. Mrs. Cockett had started to walk in to Wailuku, when her husband who was returning from town in his runabout, met her and insisted in bringing her in in the car. A few minutes later Mrs. Cockett, who was sitting in the rear seat, told her husband that she wished to get out, and before he could stop, she had jumped from the machine while it was still in rapid motion.

Mr. Cockett, with the assistance of a passer by, hurriedly carried his wife to the hospital, where she shortly after became unconscious, and passed away shortly before noon as a result of a basal fracture of the skull. The funeral took place at two o'clock this afternoon, and an inquest will be held tomorrow.

The unfortunate woman was about 25 years of age. Besides her husband, she is survived by one child about a year and a half old. A sad feature of the affair is in the fact that she was to have again become a mother in a few months. She had not been well, and to this fact is ascribed the wild impulse which led her to leave the car before it stopped. The deceased was a daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cockett, at whose home she had been living with her husband.

Juries for October Term Of Circuit Court Drawn

In the Second Circuit Court yesterday morning, the following lists of grand and trial jurors were drawn for the October term, which opens Wednesday, October 20. The grand jurors summoned are to assemble on the 20th, but the trial jury will not be called till the following Monday, October 25. The lists follow:

GRAND JURORS: M. C. Ayers, W. R. Boote, John C. Cabral, R. B. Dodge, Ed. V. Dunn, Geo. Edwards, Chas. K. Farden, Geo. H. Farnsworth, E. Haneberg, Wm. B. Hardey, L. B. Kaumehewa, Frank H. Locey, M. T. Lyons, Manuel Martins, Philip Pali, Edwin Soper, A. K. Ting, John F. Visser, C. G. White, H. F. Willard.

TRIAL JURORS: Jas. S. Achong, Geo. S. Aiken, Sam Alo, John Andrecht, W. Ayers, W. E. Bal, Jr., John Brown, Frank Burns, Wm. T. Burlem, C. C. Campbell, Wm. A. Clark, E. F. Deinet, Wm. E. Devereaux, E. G. Duarte, Manuel Duto, F. H. Enders, Augustine Enos, M. S. Leval, E. C. Mellor, Edgar Morton, Jr., Geo. C. Murray, John H. Nelson, Raymond Rosario, V. C. Schoenberg, Geo. Stephenson, F. G. Stevens.

Maui Sportsmen on Big Fishing Trip

Clarence White Lands Record Ulua at
Outset—Is Novice of Party—Ex-
pected Home Today.

Clarence G. White, the neophyte of Maui in the ranks of the universal order of light tackle fishermen, made his initial catch last Tuesday evening, and incidentally broke the local record. While waiting for other members of the party to arrive, he and Harold Rice made a little run out to the entrance of Kahului harbor, where, after being instructed in the mysteries of a jointed rod, he finally got his line out, and then things began to happen. When the struggle was over, White had to his credit a 27½ pound ulua, said to be the largest ulua landed by local fishermen with light tackle this season.

In the party which left Kahului Tuesday evening in the Railroad sampan Makala were: Harold Rice, C. G. White, J. B. Thomson, D. Howard Hitchcock, Alfred Gerner, and Seabury. The party was joined off Lahaina by Dave Fleming and George P. Cooke, each with power boats. H. B. Penhalow also joined the crowd at Maalaea yesterday morning. It was the intention to get home some time today.

A man in Honolulu is advertising in the Honolulu papers the sale of all the concessions for the Kahului races next Fourth of July for \$35. Secretary W. F. Crockett states that he accepted \$2 from a Honolulu man to bind an option on the "knife and cane" concession, but that no other concessions have been disposed of.

Maui Delegates All Primed for Big Show

Leave Tonight for Kauai With Uni-
forms, Songs and Yells all Ready.
Kauai Will Know When They Arrive.

Several meetings have been held recently by the delegates from Maui to the Civic Convention, and a program of Maui stunts outlined. The Maui crowd will get away tonight by the Mauna Kea for Honolulu, where they will join the Oahu and the Hawaii delegation and leave for Kauai by the Kinau at 10 o'clock tomorrow evening.

The Maui representatives will arrive on Kauai in uniforms of white, with black and gold decorations. They have worked up some songs and yells under the leadership of "Dean" Jack Walsh, Yell Leader Dave Lindsay, and Music Director Washburn Baldwin. D. H. Case is on the program for a 20-minute address on the assigned topic: "The Oath of Office—Theory and Practice." Hugh Howell has a 10-minute talk on the material progress Maui has made in the past year, and D. C. Lindsay will tell what the Valley Isle has accomplished in way of moral and social progress.

According to reports, the Honolulu Ad Club has prepared an elaborate lot of fun for the occasion, and the dozen or fifteen Hiloites expected, will probably have something to offer.

Those who will make up the Maui delegation are: J. J. Walsh, D. C. Lindsay, George O. Cooper, D. H. Case, Will J. Cooper, H. W. Baldwin, W. A. Baldwin, C. G. White, W. H. Field, W. O. Aiken, Joel B. Cox, Philip Pali, Hugh Howell, George Dunn, J. N. K. Keola, and Clem Crowell.

Coelho to Jail for Contempt of Court

Brought From Honolulu on Bench
Warrant, He Fails to Clear Up
Estate Matter.

Sentenced to jail for contempt of court, without hard labor, until such time as he shall see fit to obey the court's order, W. J. Coelho was yesterday ordered into custody of the sheriff, by Judge Edings, of the Second Circuit Court. Coelho was brought up from Honolulu on Wednesday evening by Deputy Sheriff Ferreira, on a bench warrant. Later in the day Coelho succeeded in raising the \$684 due the estate, from among his friends, and thus secured his release.

The pilikia in which the former Maui man finds himself, began on August 26, when Judge Edings discharged him as administrator of the estate of Neau (W.), alias Neau Landford, deceased, and ordered him to turn over to Enos Vincent, the new administrator, the property of the estate. Coelho failed to comply with this order, and he also neglected to respond to a later order of the court calling to appear and show cause why he should not be punished for contempt. Last week a bench warrant issued.

In court yesterday morning Coelho attempted to explain his dereliction, but his explanations failed to satisfy the court.

Good Rains Help Some Districts—Others Missed

Some heavy showers in different parts of Maui during the past week have been very welcome in these favored sections, but the rain has been far from general. Last Saturday and Sunday portions of Kula and Ulupalakua experienced a very heavy down-pour, which caused considerable damage to roads in a number of places. Wailuku proper and Waikapu have also had rains which have replenished the ditches and helped growing cane; but the Lahaina district is still suffering from drought, and the Haleakala ranch is in great need of rain. Showers on Wednesday helped farming operations in the pineapple district at Hailu and Kulaha.

Molokai Chinese Under Arrest for Having Opium

Ah Yon, a Chinese resident of Pukoo, Molokai, was arrested and taken to Honolulu last week in charge of Deputy Marshal Otto F. Heine. He is charged with having a large quantity of opium in his possession.

The case was worked up by Otto A. Berndt, deputy collector of internal revenue. Berndt, while ostensibly looking up other official business on Molokai, quietly carried on an investigation at Pukoo which resulted in the arrest of Ah Yon.

The traffic in opium at Pukoo and other Molokai villages is said to have been conducted in a notoriously open manner.

Meijis Will Likely Not Play on Maui

Demand for Share of Gate Receipts
Resented—Honolulu Ball "Trust",
Blamed for Attempted Holdup.

The expected visit of the Meiji baseball team for a series on Maui next week, will probably not come off. This is for the reason that a demand is now made on the local Japanese promoters for the series, for not only an all expenses guarantee but a share of the gate receipts as well. Inasmuch as the Japanese players were to be on Maui for practically a week, and as the cost of caring for them was estimated at \$400, it is a positive certainty that no other guarantee will be made.

The Maui Japanese who have been arranging for the visit of the team are pretty sore at the outcome, inasmuch as it was understood in the first place that they would be expected to stand only the ordinary expenses. They were not even sure of being able to do this from the three games planned, but through the generosity of two prominent plantation men they were in position to assume this much of the obligation.

The letter demanding a part of the gate receipts, was written by Thomas Treadway, of the Honolulu Baseball League, and it is this league that is now blamed for the changed face of things, rather than the visiting players themselves. The team has finished its series in Honolulu, and passed here on Wednesday on way to Hilo for a number of games. It is possible that the pilikia may be straightened out before they return to Honolulu and that the proposed series will be played after all; but if it is, it will be on the original basis.

Heavy Penalties for Unlawful Hunting

New Law Makes 7 Cock Pheasants a
Full Day's Bag—No Hen Pheasants
—Big Premium to Informers.

The hunting season for pheasant opens next Friday, October 1. But—If you kill a hen pheasant it may cost you \$200 and a term in jail, if you are caught, or—

If you get enthusiastic and shoot more than seven cock pheasants in any one day a like penalty may be your punishment.

The last legislature put some new teeth in the game law (Act 116, S. L. 1915) which it behooves all lovers of the dog and gun to become familiar with. For instance the lowest point which a court may impose for violation is \$50, and it may be as high as \$200. Also in order to help the game wardens out, half of the fine imposed will be paid any one who sees you do it, and tells the police.

There are still some other drawbacks to hunting in the Territory besides this. In the first place a license costing \$5 per year must be secured, and then before you may legally go out and kill, you must get the permission of the owner or occupant of the land on which you would conduct your operations. Failure to observe either of these preliminaries makes you liable to a fine, and the sheriff and treasurer of the county are getting ready to see that these laws are enforced strictly.

Loan Fund Commission Selects Reservoir Site

The location for the Olinda reservoir of the Kula pipe line, was definitely decided upon by the loan fund commission, at its meeting last Saturday. Three possible sites had been under consideration, and the one finally determined upon was most favored by Engineer A. C. Wheeler, of the Public Works Department, and by Engineer Balch. Work is now going on in preparing the detailed plans and specifications, preliminary for calling for tenders for the construction. The reservoir will probably be of about five million gallons capacity. The appropriation for the project is \$50,000.

Statisticians Study Sugar Costs on Maui

F. J. Sheridan, of the United States Department of Commerce, with M. Meador and Thomas Mills as assistants, arrived on Maui this week in connection with the work which has been under way in the territory for some time, of compiling data on costs in the production of sugar. They are at present studying the methods of the Wailuku Sugar Company, but will later visit all the other plantations on Maui. Several weeks will probably be devoted to this island. Oahu and Kauai have already been covered in this manner, and Hawaii is to receive attention next. Mr. Mills is accompanied by his wife.

Briefs to Be Filed In McKay Hearing

No Decision Likely For Week or More
—Witnesses Testify in Supreme
Court—District Judge on Stand.

After hearing testimony of witnesses during Monday and Tuesday, the supreme court on Tuesday afternoon closed the McKay case, and will accept briefs from the attorneys that represent both sides. It will probably be one or two weeks before a decision will be rendered in the matter.

Among the witnesses examined were Deputy Sheriff John Ferreira, Court Stenographer W. S. Chillingworth, M. G. Paschall, Enos Vincent and A. Reis. Judge McKay testified in his own behalf on Monday afternoon and Tuesday. He was represented by Judge Perry. Eugene Murphy, who has preferred the charges against McKay, alleging general malfeasance, for which he would have him removed from the bench of the Wailuku district court, was represented by Lorrie Andrews, as attorney. He was the first witness on the stand.

The advertiser in reporting the case says:

"Whether William A. McKay, for thirty years district magistrate of Wailuku, Maui, will remain in office or be removed in accordance to the prayer in the charges made against him by Eugene Murphy, a Maui lawyer, is left for the supreme court to decide. The hearing of the charges and Judge McKay's defense closed yesterday in the high tribunal. After a consultation by Chief Justice Robertson with Associate Justices Watson and Quigley, the attorneys for the respective parties being consulted and agreeing to it it was decided that counsel for both sides file briefs on the testimony as taken during the hearing. This is to be done as soon as Miss Kate Kelly, the official stenographer of the supreme court, transcribes the testimony from the notes taken during the hearing."

Korean Fatally Hurt By Fall From Horse at Kihei

Kim Hai Yung, a Korean laborer employed by the Hawaiian Commercial & Sugar Company at Kihei, died at an early hour on Monday morning at the Puunene hospital, from injuries sustained by a fall from a horse the previous afternoon. At an inquest held on Monday afternoon it was the verdict that the deceased had died from a fracture at the base of the brain, sustained by his fall.

The Korean, who was about 35 years of age, was returning to Camp 3 where he lived, at the time of the accident. An Okinawa, passing along the road some time later found the injured man who was then conscious, and able to explain how he had been hurt. Word was carried to the camp and friends at once went to the injured man. An attempt was made to take him to the Puunene hospital through the plantation, but the heavy rain in the Kula district had so swollen one of the water courses that it could not be crossed, and the patient had to be taken back and around by Wailuku.

Hawaiian Fisherman Drowned at Pauwela

Supposed to Have Been Washed From
Rocks, Body Not Recovered Prob-
ably Eaten By Sharks.

Washed from the rocks, and his body devoured by sharks, is the probable fate of Solomon N. Waiwale, Hawaiian, who disappeared while fishing below Pauwela, last Saturday morning. The unfortunate man was about 50 years of age, and lived at Pauwela.

Accompanied by another Hawaiian fisherman, Waiwale was climbing over the rocks carrying a long spear, when last seen by his companion. Later his disappearance was noted and after a search the spear was found but no other trace of his owner. Searchers in the vicinity the following morning succeeded in catching a large shark, which may have had a part in the grim tragedy. The missing fisherman was subject to attacks of partial paralysis in his legs, and it is believed that this may have resulted in the accident which led to his death.

TAM YIP CASE ARGUED.

The case of the Territory vs. Tam Yip, appealed to the supreme court from the Second Circuit Court, was argued before the higher tribunal on Thursday; County Attorney Bevins representing the Territory in the matter and Eugene Murphy, the defendant. The case originated in Makawao and is one of alleged indecent assault upon a girl under fifteen years of age. It was carried up on legal technicalities.

GERMANS PREPARE TO GO TO TURKEY'S AID

Big Drive Starts on Servia--Bulgaria Under Arms,
May Side With Germans--Italians Cap-
ture Important Strongholds.

HONOLULU, September 24.—Sugar, \$76.40.

HONOLULU, September 24.—The grand jury was rapped by Judge Ashford for its failure to indict Frank Hoogs. The court asked the jury to reconsider its action of last week.

News from Japan says Manager Crawley, of Chief Hailstorm, assaulted two passengers on steamers and was liable to arrest.

A hole ripped in F4 by the reef, after control was lost, is the decision of committee investigating the disaster. It is believed that the death of crew was quick. The fault was in the working of the Kingston valve, and submarine descended too rapidly.

NISH, September 24.—A German army of one million men is expected to invade Servia. This number, which includes 200,000 Austrians, is available. The Bulgarian mobilization may be to resist this drive. Allies are now sending 100,000 troops to Dardanelles, is the report from Berlin. Travelers report terrible conditions in Constantinople.

SAN FRANCISCO, September 24.—The London steamship line bank will enter the trans-Atlantic field. The Inveric is now enroute to Hongkong to take cargo.

ROUSE, September 24.—Rockefeller, Jr., says employees of the Colorado Coal & Iron Company may join union if they wish.

EL PASO, September 24.—Decisive defeat of Hill is indicated in dispatches yesterday. Troops of Villa are reported to be bandoning Torreón and Juarez positions. The star of Carranza is ascending. His bandit adversary plans an invasion of the west coast country to secure supplies.

VIENNA, September 24.—The retreat before Russians at Lutsk, west bank of Niver, is admitted by official report from war office this morning. Austrians claim to have repulsed Russians at other points.

LONDON, September 24.—The lord mayor has issued an appeal that Belgian relief committees be appointed to handle funds. More than \$1,000,000 is needed weekly to feed the population stricken by war.

PARIS, September 24.—During the past few days air raids on German positions have been almost constant. Considerable in a military sense has been accomplished. Dirigibles again swept over the Metz-Verdun railway line, bombarding several stations and completely stopping, for a time, the passage of German troop trains.

VIENNA, September 24.—Loss of forts on the Austro-Italian fronts admitted in official reports of the war office. These were of great value and capture is regarded by Italians as foremost victory of the war. The garrison at Monte Cruce was captured. This is in a pass of the same name in the Carnic Alps. If the evacuation opens way for Italians to the Tuste valley, through which one of the two railroad lines supplying the Trentino runs, the captures of these positions presents means of invasion and conquest of the Trentino. By capturing the other railroad line feeding the Trentino, and cutting off all supplies to Austrians, Italians would have enemy at their mercy.

NORFOLK, September 24.—The master of the British steamer Crowsby has made affidavit that he saw the torpedo which struck the Hesperian and was prevented by Germans from giving damaged vessel assistance.

HONOLULU, September 23.—Germany yields another point to the United States. Germany's latest note says submarines have been ordered not to destroy American merchant vessels carrying conditional contraband. Submarine commanders ordered to let vessels proceed on course when impossible to take them to German ports to await decree of prize court.

GENEVA, September 23.—Travelers from Constantinople say conditions in Turkish capital are intolerable to foreigners on account of lack of food supplies.

WASHINGTON, September 23.—Formal agreement for lifting Russian embargo on exports from the United States has been signed.

PETROGRAD, September 19.—(Delayed). As result of industrial disorders and strikes, the military governor issues a proclamation ordering workmen back to shops or to suffer court martial.

LONDON, September 23.—British steamer Gronigan sunk by a submarine. One member of crew drowned and several drowned.

CHRISTIANIA, September 23.—The British steamer Forsvijk sunk. Crew saved.

WASHINGTON, September 23.—According to news received from American consult at Stuttgart, Germany, Edward Higgins, the consulate building was struck by fragments of shell during recent French air raid. Extent of damage not known.

LONDON, September 19.—(Delayed). Military authorities will probably issue orders against all form of treating, making those who treat liable to serious punishment.

PETROGRAD, September 23.—Russian military authorities assert they regard escape of main Russian army, which was nearly entrapped at Vilna salient, as now assured.

WASHINGTON, September 23.—Capt. von Tapen, military aide to Count von Bernstorff says in writing to Germany, that Americans are idiotic. Letters written in code and intercepted, will be handed to state department for retranslation. If present translation is correct, von Tapen will be declared persona non grata to United States government.

Dr. Dumba formally notified this government that he has been recalled by his government, and asked for safe conduct. This will not be granted unless the request comes from Vienna.

PARIS, September 23.—French warships have rescued 9000 Armenians from Turks. Three thousand are women and children, who had taken refuge in the mountains.

AMSTERDAM, September 23.—It is reported in overseas dispatch that Zeppelins dropped bombs on Bank of England. Damage to main business district much greater than reported by British home office.

NEW YORK, September 23.—It is believed that more than seven persons were killed in dynamite explosion yesterday.

TOKIO, September 23.—Hayahaida, the central figure in the army scandal, four members, and thirteen former members of diet, have been arraigned in court, and remanded for trial for bribery.

WASHINGTON, September 23.—According to statement of German authorities, Allies hold as result of Alsace-Lorraine campaign, 42,066 square miles of conquered territory, while Germans have 70,000 square miles conquered territory. In Belgium Germans hold 11,197 square miles.

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